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EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2800

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: P.E.R. Mucci et al. Attorney Docket No.: BARK118326  
Application No.: 09/980,471 Group Art Unit: 2836  
Filed: March 26, 2002 Examiner: D. Nguyen  
Title: SOLAR TILE ASSEMBLY

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Seattle, Washington 98101

October 23, 2003

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Final Office Action mailed July 24, 2003, please enter the amendments set forth below and reconsider the application in view of the remarks that follow.

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE  
AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Amendment Transmittal

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

X 1. The claim fee has been calculated as shown below.

COMPUTATION OF FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For		Present Extra		Rate	Additional Fee	
Total Claims	21	Minus	20	=	1	x	18	=	18.00
Independent Claims	4	Minus	4	=	0	x	86	=	0.00
Total Additional Fee for this Amendment									\$18.00

X 2. Check No. 151582 in the amount of \$18.00 is attached.

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B. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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